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Condon, Pat et al.

Serial No. 09/467,706

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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
CONFIGURING COMPUTERS

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 4, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1, 6 and 11 are amended and new claims 21 and 22 are added. Claims 1-22 remain in the application. Re-examination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are requested.